

House Resolution No. 323

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Jim Anderson has attained considerable distinction during the past seventeen years as the President of the Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, at the recent Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce awards dinner at University Plaza Convention Center, meeting emcee Jim Anderson was the very surprised recipient of Springfieldian of the Year honors; and

Whereas, Jim Anderson is credited with helping to improve downtown Springfield, southwest Missouri's infrastructure and water quality, and numerous Chamber projects and programs in his role as President; and

Whereas, fellow Chamber members readily agree that Jim Anderson is the "invisible hand on so many of the good things that happen in our city, in our region, and even in our state"; and

Whereas, Jim Anderson also is justifiably proud to be known as the loving father of Rachel and Rebecca:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Jim Anderson as Springfieldian of the Year by the Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for many more years of continued personal and professional success; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Jim Anderson of Springfield, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Charlie Denison
District No. 135

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 323, adopted February 1, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker